

"Why don't you have children, Margie?"

I felt my face grow hot and then cold. I know I turned white and then red, for not even to you, dear little book, have I before confessed that the greatest disappointment of my married life is that there seems no probability of children.

I have never even discussed this with Dick, but sometimes I am sure he is wishing for them, too.

I keep hoping that a child will come to us. After all we have not been married so very long—only a little over two years.

(To Be Continued Tomorrow.)

MIGHTY SLOW

A city of over 206,000 population appropriated only \$10,000 for mothers' pensions for an entire year. The alleged reason was lack of funds.

Shortly afterward the same city appropriated \$25,000 for a week's entertainment of a visiting secret order.

Social justice makes slow headway in some places.

HAVRE DE GRACE HUNCHES

Dress does not make a gentleman, but it makes a lot of fellows here in Havre de Grace look like one, at first sight.

Advice to the wives of Havre de Grace who want to know how to make home happy. Rule one—learn how to cook.—Havre de Grace Republican.

STEPS IN NEW DANCES

"Do you tango?" is a query which will be almost taboo this winter. If you appear on a dance floor it is presumed that you do tango.

But—just for those who DON'T, there is—the Riverside one-step.

It is graceful, simple, novel. It combines the three easy elementary positions, the open, the waltz, and the side.

The first movement is forward and backward, in the open position. The

TREAT HIRED GIRL AS HUMAN BEING, SAYS CHIEF

New York.—The uplift of the humble household drudge is the great object in life of Walter Lincoln Sears. And as Sears has just been appointed superintendent of the Municipal Employment Bureau of New York he is in a position to put his kind intentions into execution.

"There'd be no servant girl question if there was no snobbery," declares Superintendent Sears. "I don't expect the housekeeper to entertain the 'hired girl' at bridge or to give tango teas for her, but she should provide her with a comfortable room and the little conveniences to which every human being is entitled."

It is Sears' plan to visit every employer of labor in New York and ask them to co-operate with the municipal employment bureau in an effort to take care of the city's unemployed men and women.

KANNING KINKS

Use wide-mouthed jars; they are easy to clean, easy to fill and convenient in every way.

Use fresh rubber rings; if the rings are not soft and elastic the sealing will be imperfect.

A scales is not a necessity, but it will help a whole lot to have a pair on the table when you are "putting up" the fall preserves.

An asbestos mat to slip under the kettle is a great convenience.

"RIVERSIDE ONE STEP"

second is the waltz position, the dancers waltzing sidewise to the left. Then they slip into the side position, dancing forward and back at right angles to the former position, and terminating with a glide and pivot. Then turn and repeat.

A few pieces of gum camphor kept in the boxes in which silver is packed in wrappings will prevent its turning dark.